

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Public Services- I & CAD Department-Irregularities in execution of Handri Neeva Sujala Sravanthi (HNSS) canal including CM & CD works in package 23 in Kurnool district - disciplinary action initiated against Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer (now retired) along with other engineering officials – orders of the Hon'ble APAT in O.A.No. 12456/2009 dt. 01.11.2011 implemented – Further action dropped – Orders Issued

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IRRIGATION & C.A.D.(SER.X) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.878.

Dt:08.08.2012

Read the following

1. G.O.Rt.No.139, I & CAD (Ser.X.1) Dept., dt. 01.02.2008.
2. G.O.Rt.No.892, I & CAD (Ser.X.1) Dept., dt. 16.7.2008.
3. Interim orders of the Hon'ble APAT in O.A.No. 12456/2009 filed by Sri B. Krishna Reddy, DEE dt. 22.12.2009 .
4. From the GA(COI-CK) Dept., D.O.Ir.No. 1255/COI-CK/A1/2008, dt. 21.01.2010.
5. Govt.Memo.No.19363/Ser.X.1/2006-18, dt. 04.10.2010
6. Orders of the Hon'ble APAT in O.A.No.12456/2009 filed by Sri B. Krishna Reddy, DEE (Retd.)
7. Representation. of Sri B. Krishna Reddy, DEE (Retd.) dt. 23.11.2011.
8. G.O.Rt.No.1219, I & CAD (Ser.X.1) Department, dt. 7.12.2011.
9. Representation of Sri B. Krishna Reddy, DEE (Retd.) dt. 18.6.2012

O R D E R

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It was brought to the notice of the Government that certain irregularities were took place in execution of works in package No. 23 of Handri-Neeva Sujala Sravanthi Prject (HNSS) against Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer (now retired) and 12 other personnel of Irrigation Department. Therefore, Government have initiated disciplinary action against Sri B. Krishna Reddy DEE (now retired) and 12 others, and entrusted the case to the COI by appointing Smt. Chandana Khan , IAS, as Inquiry authority to conduct detailed Inquiry on the charges framed against them .

Aggrieved by the above, Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer has approached the Hon'ble APAT and filed O.A. No. 12456/2009. In the reference 6th read above, the Hon'ble APAT have pronounced the judgment on 01.11.2011 in O.A.No.12456/2009 filed by Sri B. Krishna Reddy, DEE (Now retired) with CA No. 1303/2010 and VMA 2732/2010. The operational portion of the judgment is as fallows:

“..... In these circumstances and in view of the findings given by me in the foregoing paragraphs on the two charges framed against the applicant, the impugned charge memo. is liable to be set-aside. Further, as there is inordinate delay in conclusion of the disciplinary proceedings against the applicant in pursuance of the impugned charge memo., it is also a ground for quashing the charge memo. and also the subsequent proceedings.

Accordingly, the O.A. is allowed, and the charge memo. in G.O.Rt.No.139, I & CAD (Ser.X.1) Department, dt. 1.2.2008 and the consequential proceedings in Memo.No.19363/Ser.X.1/2006-18, dt. 4.10.2010, issued by the 1st respondent are liable to be quashed, and are accordingly quashed. The respondents are directed to release the pensionary benefits to the applicant within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of this order. VMA is dismissed. C.A. stands closed.”

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Government after careful examination of the matter, have issued orders vide G.O. 8th read above, by implementing the orders of the Hon'ble APAT, in O.A.No.12456/2009 , duly releasing pensionary benefits to Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer (Retd.) subject to review on the outcome of the WP to be filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh.

In the reference 9th read above, Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer (Retd.) has stated that he was under suspension for the period from 21.7.2006 to 31.12.2007, and requested the Govt. to regularize the suspension period as duty to avail the eligible benefits.

Government after careful examination of the matter, it was observed that there is no feasibility to file WP before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh. Therefore, it has been decided to drop further action against Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer (Retd), without prejudice to the recovery of loss caused to the Govt. if any separately. Accordingly hereby order to drop further action against Sri B. Krishna Reddy, Deputy Executive Engineer (Retd), without prejudice to the recovery of loss caused to the Govt. if any separately

The Engineer-In-Chief (Admn.Wing), I & CAD Department, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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